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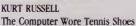
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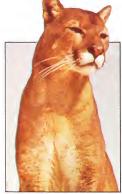
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Martha S. Baker Paris, KY

We agree. We are constantly searching for great performers for children.



REMEMBERING RICK NELSON

I have really enjoyed watching "The Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet" on The Disney Channel these past few months. It's the first time I've seen the show since it went off national TV.

It was sad to hear of the death of Rick Nelson; he was a very special entertainer and his music meant a lot to many people. I was wondering if it would be possible to run a short special on Rick during one of the half hour episodes. Maybe you could run some of the songs that have been cut from the ends of the episodes or something like that.

I know I would really enjoy it, and I'm sure many other people would also.

Howard Van Laeken Seattle, WA

For a feature article on the qualities that made the Nelsons America's best-loved TV family, turn to page 9. Also two of the Nelson family's favorite episodes air as "The Best of Ozzie and Harriet" this month.



CHANNEL INSPIRATION

My son Tod has learning problems and has a hard time at school. I recently wrote down for him what he wanted to say to The Disney Channel in a letter. As for myself, I just want to say The Disney Channel has been a joy to my son. It has helped his attention span so much by watching your programs. Sometimes he laughs so hard his stomach hurts. It's a pleasure to be able to turn to Disney for wholesome entertainment. I guess I can't put into words what The Disney Channel has done for my son, but thank you with all my heart.

Sandi Vander Sheis Vermilion, OH

PRAISE FOR AMY

I enjoyed the movie "Amy." The acting was excellent, the movie was of high quality, and the storyline was well-produced. I hope to see many more movies like it in the future.

Mrs. Martha Silbaugh

Mrs. Martha Silbaugh Watsonville, CA



THE RETURN OF BEAVER

First, I must tell you how much we enjoy The Disney Channel. My two kids watch at least three shows a day. I have a VCR and tape "Dumbo's Circus" and "Winnie The Pooh" everyday. Those are the two shows my young daughter asks to see after she wakes up from her nap.

But I must also tell you how disappointed we were that "Still The Beaver" went off the air. I grew up with "Leave It To Beaver" and my son watches it on cable. We loved "Still The Beaver" and were crushed to find it's no longer on. Maybe you will consider bringing the show back on the air.

Linda Madtson Jasper, MN

The Disney Channel has scheduled an upcoming encore presentation of "Still The Beaver." The 26-episode series will be shown in its entirety beginning the week of May 11th, with a different episode airing each week.



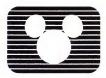
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Jan Crouser Odessa, TX

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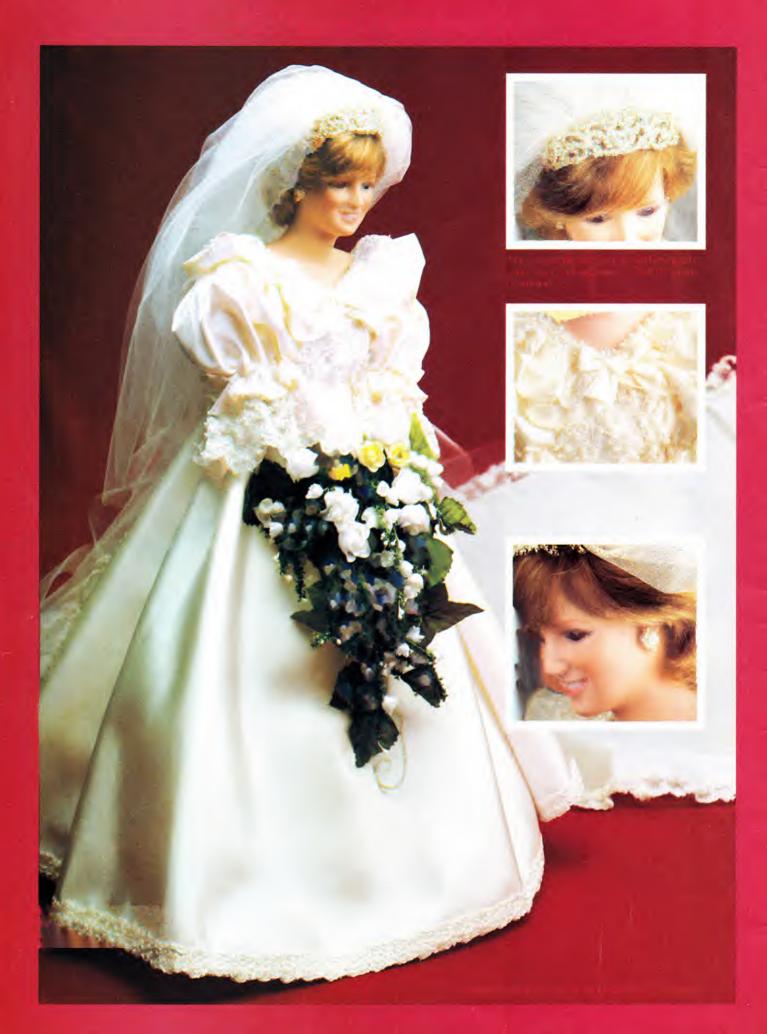
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t 69, Ernest Borgnine, star of "The Badlanders" (see page 28), is pretty busy. His role as Dominic Santini in the popular television series "Air Wolf" is time consuming, but he never forgets his fellow man. He and Martha Raye recently received Certificates of Appreciation for being Celebrity Co-Chairpersons of the Hospital Visits Committee for the Veterans Administration. His hospital visits are not limited to veterans, however. As a 33rd Degree Mason, he also visits children in Shriners hospitals across the country.

s super sleuth novelist Jessica Fletcher of "Murder, She Wrote," Angela Lansbury displays in-

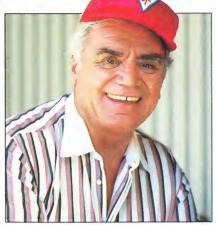
credible deductive talents. This ageless actress, star of "Bedknobs and Broomsticks," (see page 34), is multitalented. She emerged as a Broadway superstar after winning the first of four Tony awards for her performance in the title role of the musical "Mame." She has been nominated three times for an Oscar and also for an Emmy.

Ifred Hitchcock's "The 39 Steps" (see page 31), was Peggy Ashcroft's third feature film. The actress's career includes

three motion pictures filmed in India — most notably David Lean's 1984 production "A Passage to India." When approached to do the film, Dame Peggy stated, "You know, Mr. Lean, I'm doubtful about

this. After all, I'm 75." Lean replied, "Well, so am I." She went on to be nominated for an Academy Award for Best Supporting Actress.

fter the blockbuster "Down and Out In Beverly Hills," Bette Midler is enthusiastic about the multi-picture deal between her own production company, All Girls Productions, and Touchstone Films, a division of The Walt Disney Company. The woman who has been described as "trash with



Ernest Borgnine spends much of his time in behalf of hospitalized kids



Angela Lansbury lights up the Channel in "Bedknobs and Broomsticks;" and David Hartman recalls his days at Disney

Pete's Dragon dazzles spectators at the Electrical Parade in Disneyland

flash" and "the sassiest mouth in show business" is starring in Touchstone Films' soon-to-be-released "Ruthless People." The Divine Miss Minsists, "I'm a dyed-in-the-wool Disney baby. I thought Annette was the greatest thing since sliced bread." We don't know what Annette thinks of Bette.

or the past ten and one-half years,
David Hartman has been the anchor of ABC's tremendously popular
"Good Morning America." Disney Beat
talked recently with the lanky star, who
still remembers the experiences that
went into the making of "The Island at
the Top of the World" (see page 33), in
particular the technical wizardry that

was involved.

'What amazed me at the time was that we shot the film at the Disney Studio in about five weeks." Hartman recalls. "We were on three different sound stages. For the most part we were standing before blank screens. Afterwards, when I saw the film for the first time. I was startled to see what a good time I'd been having! The work of the artists and the special effects men was just stunning.

"I was glad when 'The Island at the Top of the World' was over, though, because I didn't have to eat in the Executive Din-

ing Room anymore!" he says, laughing. "Two or three weeks are fine, but after that, temptation becomes too much. The food was so good I thought I'd never get back down to my regular weight."

he Electrical Parade returns to Disneyland this month, bigger and brighter than ever. The twinkling cavalcade is a quarter of a mile long, consists of 100 live performers and more than 40 floats enhanced by 500,000 lights. This is the third generation of the Electri-

cal Parade since its 1972 debut. Each time a new version of the parade is introduced, new technology, special effects and scenes are added.



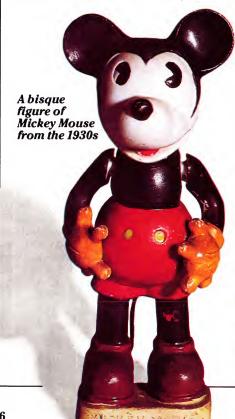
Dave Smith, archivist for The Walt Disney Company, answers questions and provides information about the studio's history and its productions.

My family has just returned from a visit to the fantastic Living Seas, which recently opened at EPCOT Center. Is the music played there available on record? -G.B.Orlando, FL

The background music, composed by Russell Brower based on a theme by George Wilkins, was created for the Living Seas and has not been released on record, but we appreciate your suggestion.

How can I tell if Mickey Mouse toys are old and valuable? -J.L., New Orleans, LA

The most collectible Mickey Mouse items date from the 1930s, and they can be identified by the copyright notice. If it says "© Walt Disney Enterprises" it is from the 1930s; the "© Walt Disney Productions" dates it as later. The early version of Mickey usually had black oval eyes, with a pie-cut shape out of one side (but look out for recent items reproducing the old-style Mickey).





After enjoying "Follow Me, Boys," I wondered if Scoutmaster Lem Siddons had been a real person.

-W.D., Columbus, GA

No. Siddons was a fictional character created by MacKinlay Kantor for his award-winning novel, "God and My Country," on which our film was based.

How can a Disneyana collector find out the values of items in his collection? -R.O., Indianapolis, IN

There is a brand new three-volume "Disneyana Catalog and Price Guide" by Tom Tumbusch. For information you can contact the publisher, Tomart Publications, P.O. Box 2102, Dayton, OH 45429.

I noted that "The Black Cauldron" was Disney's 25th animated feature. but I cannot seem to come up with a complete list. Can you help? -P.E.P.. Azusa, CA

In order, the Disney animated features are "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" (1937), "Pinocchio," "Fantasia," "Dumbo," 'Bambi," "Saludos Amigos," "The Three Caballeros," "Make Mine Music," "Melody Time," "Fun and Fancy Free," "The Adventures of Ichabod and Mr. Toad," "Cinderella," "Alice in Wonderland," "Peter Pan," "Lady and the Tramp," "Sleeping Beauty," "101 Dalmatians," "The Sword in the Stone," "The Jungle Book," "The Aristocats," "Robin Hood," "The Many Adventures of Winnie the Pooh," "The Rescuers," "The Fox and the Hound," and "The Black Cauldron" (1985). A new Disney animated feature. "The Great Mouse Detective," is slated for release this year.

Is it true that the Disney Studio created 2,000 insignias for military units during World War II? -M.K., Loveland, CO

Actually there were closer to 1,200 insignias. As part of his donation to the war effort, Walt Disney offered his Studio's services free to design the insignias, which depicted Disney characters or new characters in the Disney style (such as Flying Tigers, dolphins, or boxing kangaroos). These insignias were then featured on the noses of airplanes, on ships, on tanks, and on the jackets of servicemen. They were a great boost to morale during a difficult period in our country's history.

Disney Channel Trivia

- 1986 marks the 50th anniversary of the classic Disney cartoon, "The Country Cousin," about the visit of country mouse Abner to his big-city cousin, Monty. The film won the Academy Award as best cartoon of 1936.
- Floyd Gottfredson, who was asked in 1930 by Walt Disney to draw the Mickey Mouse comic strip for two weeks, ended up doing the task for 45 years. Gottfredson admits that "Walt just never got around to replacing me."
- Dancer/actress Helene Stanley, who played Davy Crockett's backwoods wife in "Davy Crockett, King of the Wild Frontier," was the live model for Princess Aurora in Walt Disney's animated feature, "Sleeping Beauty."
- Piers Haggard, director of "Disney's Return to Treasure Island" (see page 14) is a descendant of novelist H. Rider Haggard, who wrote "King Solomon's Mines," seen on The Disney Channel last month.

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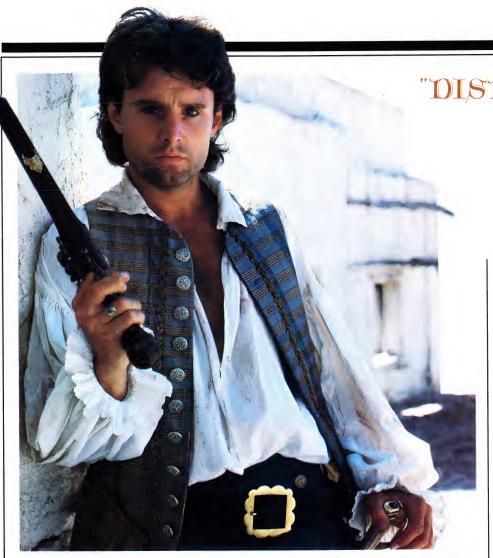
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"DISNEYS RETURN
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randishing a flintlock and wielding his hollow crutch weighted with stolen gold pieces, Long John Silver makes a mighty comeback in "Disney's Return to Treasure Island." In this rousing sequel to Robert Louis Stevenson's adventure classic, the one-legged pirate has plans for retrieving the remaining booty he and his young shipmate Jim Hawkins left on Treasure Island 10 years before. They join forces and embark on a voyage filled with danger, romance, excitement and suspense.

The first two hours of this 10-hour, multi million-dollar mini-series premiere as a feature this month on The Disney Channel (see page 28). Starting the week of April 27, the remaining hour episodes will air every Friday at 8:00 p.m. The entire production was filmed on location in Spain, Jamaica and the United Kingdom, with Brian Bles-



Christopher Guard (above) portrays Jim Hawkins with flair and derring-do. Jim is shown as an Oxford graduate who accepts the job of overseeing Squire Trelawney's sugar plantation in Jamaica. From that moment on, he finds himself up against every blackguard and cutthroat who ever lusted after gold. Guard is well-equipped for the swashbuckling role. He's a popular, athletic young British actor who rides, plays football and tennis. He began his career as a juvenile with the Royal Shakespeare Company and recently co-starred on TV in "My Cousin Rachel" and "A Woman of Substance."

As Long John Silver (left), Brian Blessed lets nothing block his plans for seizing the gold still hidden on Treasure Island.

Mission accomplished, Long John Silver and his crony Boakes (Morgan Sheppard) exult in their successful return to Treasure Island.



TO TREASURE ISLAND"

SEQUEL TO The US CLASSIC BEGINS

sed as Long John Silver and Christopher Guard as a grownup Jim Hawkins heading the all-star cast.

Blessed, a rock solid six-footer weighing in at 200 pounds, looks like a buccaneer even without the shaggy hair and full beard he grew for the part. He remembers the first time he came across "Treasure Island."

"It was in the form of a radio broadcast," he said. "I was six. My father said that if I was a good boy and did my chores, I could stay up late and hear it. Well, I was a good boy. We had only a cheap little wooden radio, but I remember listening wide-eyed as the story came over the air. It was magic, absolute magic!"

Later Blessed read the book. And when he was cast for "Disney's Return to Treasure Island," he read it again. "About all Robert Louis Stevenson wrote concerning Long John's appearance was that he had a face as big as a ham," Blessed said. "The face of a ham...that appealed to my actorish instincts."

Knowing that he would be playing a one-legged, two-fisted roisterer "involved in at least 35 fights," Blessed went into training. "I exercised for two hours and ran three miles every day," he said. "I did half-squats and knee bends on my right leg, the one that would carry my weight. The result is that although I can hop a hundred yards in 14 seconds on me right leg, it's about two inches wider than me left one and I can't get them back to their former lovely symmetry."

Blessed has been a star in England for most of his 49 years. He has appeared in 18 plays, nine films, and 28 television shows—almost every one of them costume productions, ranging from "Cats" to "The Last Days of Pompeii." "They say I'm unrecognizable in a business suit," Blessed said.

Il the world's a stage," wrote Shakespeare, and for 20 weeks a company of 200 moviemakers roamed a good share of it to film "Disney's Return to Treasure Island."

Since the opening episodes take place in Britain, director Piers Haggard decided to shoot the series in sequence at authentic locales. Haggard chose Mewslade Bay off the Welsh coast for scenes of Long John Silver's return to England in a longboat and his subsequent capture by Captain Smollett and the militia. The sea there rises 40 feet with the tides in a matter of minutes, and filming became a constant race against time.

The Gloucester docks in England were re-dressed to resemble the Bristol docks of 1770, where the square-rigger Saracen is moored and ready to set sail for Jamaica, taking Long John Silver and Jim Hawkins on their new adventure. The Saracen is actually an old Danish fishing schooner owned by a marine specialty company called Square Sail. She was restructured and fitted out with equipment for filming at sea.

After 21 days of shooting in the British Isles, the company flew off for eight weeks of sunny outdoor filming in Jamaica. Discovery Bay, where Christopher Columbus landed in 1492, and Dunn's River Falls, where the Spanish lost the island to the British in 1655, were among several historical sites selected for scenes depicting Treasure Island, Santa Ana and Machado.

The next five weeks were spent in Spain. From their home base in Almeria, the film crew fanned out to nearby locales dominated by a gigantic stone fortress built for a 1970 western, "El Condor." It became the Mexican prison in which Long John Silver, Jim Hawkins and others are incarcerated.

Piers Haggard and his troops returned to Wales for the final weeks of filming. Most of the remaining scenes involved action aboard the *Saracen*, and they were shot under full sail in the Bristol Channel. Twenty weeks after the first camera rolled, the filming of "Disney's Return to Treasure Island," like the adventure-filled series itself, came to a happy ending.



THE BENIKER





An unusual "family" with an even more unusual

"I've been on my own my whole life. What I want is a family," says teenage orphan, Arthur Beniker.

"We are a family," responds Cassie, who's much younger. And the other children agree.

"We know that, but nobody else does. And if we mess up getting out of here, they're never going to let us be together again."

Five out-of-the-ordinary kids, their struggle for freedom, and their deep caring for each other. That's "The Beniker Gang," a movie premiering on The Disney Channel April 5. The whole family will love it.

Arthur Beniker (played by popular young star Andrew McCarthy) is 18 and free to leave the New Jersey orphanage. Furthermore, he earns good money in a secret career writing a nationally syndicated advice column, Dear Lola.

He stays on at the home as a kitchen aid, however, to keep a watchful eye over

his four young friends—the mischievous Edmond (Charlie Fields); Cassie (Jennie Dundas), who dreams of a house with a white picket fence; James (Jeff Alan-Lee), preferring to spend his days inside a bag; and Ben (Danny Pintauro), who constantly eats paper. (An interview with Danny appears in the "Just for Kids" section, page 22.)

When their "family" within the orphanage is threatened by Edmund's being matched with suitable foster parents, Arthur invokes an ingenious plan. Hidden in laundry bags, the orphans escape, and with Arthur at the wheel of his painted-over van, they depart the home for a new life together.

They journey south and west, and, finally, in Missouri, in the town of Sweet River, they come upon a run-down Victorian house. There's a picket fence out front and a "For Rent" sign stuck in the ground.

Their joy in being on their own, however, is soon disrupted by nosy

townspeople. But in a world of uncertainty, and sometimes hostility, there's one thing Arthur's sure of: if they stick together, all things are possible.

Andrew McCarthy, as Arthur, generates much of the warm feeling and spiritedness of this offbeat "family." His smile alone could melt the icicles off the roof of a house. He's also a smart aleck.

"Nobody who auditioned for the part came close to Andrew for that perfect combination of tough outside and sentimental inside," says Executive Producer Jane Startz. She'd seen him in his first movie, "Class," with Rob Lowe and Jacqueline Bisset, and knew he'd be right for the part.

Producer Dora Bachrach agrees: "Andrew really held the film together. He was very good-natured on the set, generous and terrific with the kids, and kept them laughing with his Al Pacino imitations."

The people on the set of "The Beniker Gang" recall mainly the bitter cold during filming, but viewers of the film will

ANDREW MCCARTHY Out of "The Beniker Gang" and into the Brat Pack

Andrew is invariably described as a Brat Packer, along with other Pack members Tom Cruise, Emilio Estevez, Sean Penn, Rob Lowe, Ally Sheedy, Molly Ringwald, and on and on. The Pack's a talented bunch of teenagers and young adults who've starred in the coming-of-age movies that have dominated box offices in recent years.

The Brat Pack distinction is one Andrew doesn't appreciate, though. "I don't live in L.A. I don't hang out at the Hard Rock Cafe. I don't know what it means when you're talking about Andrew McCarthy," he says.

Well, one thing it means is Hollywood success—at an early age. Andrew McCarthy, 22, achieved full recognition as a Brat Packer with last summer's "St. Elmo's Fire." He's currently starring in "Pretty in Pink." But no one likes to be thrown into a pack, stripped of his identifying features, and certainly not someone as independent as Andrew McCarthy. He grew up, the third of four sons, in affluent Bernardsville, New Jersey, and "couldn't wait to get out of the suburbs for the city." After high school, he enrolled at New York University as an acting student, but he left college after two years when he was cast in his first movie, "Class."

Movie success over the past few years hasn't erased his New York identity, though. He still lives with his cat in an apartment in Greenwich Village.

Having recently spent two months in sunny L.A. filming "Pretty in Pink," he vows he'll never move there. His complaint: "L.A. closes too early."

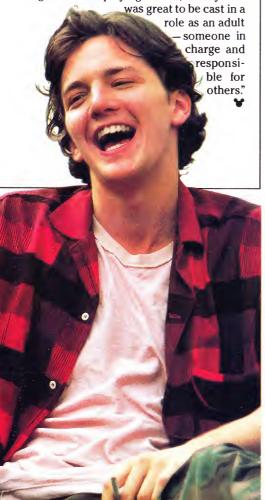


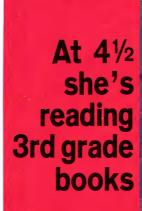
single parent

remember warmth - among the five orphans. Growing up in an insecure world, their main concern is to take care of each other, and they do.

That's the point of the movie, comments Jane Startz of Scholastic Productions: "We wanted to show children in a good light. We feel that kids are often underestimated, especially boys, who do have real sentiment."

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The Nelson Clan's Fourteen-Year Reign as

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o true to life were the comic situations on "The Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet" that when The Disney Channel first began an exclusive broadcast of 200 episodes of the show in May of 1985, a flood of mail from enthusiastic fans of all ages was the result. Grandparents wrote in, reminiscing about comic moments from the show, parents recalled growing up with David and Ricky Nelson on TV; and phenomenally, a third generation of fans, fans who are now the age of David and Ricky on the series, wrote in to tell how captivated they were. Indeed, "The Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet" has become one of the most popular series ever shown on The Disney Channel.

As those daily broadcasts continue, The Disney Channel has selected two of the most popular episodes of the series to air in a special double feature, "The Best of Ozzie and Harriet," beginning April 25. These two shows are filled with the humor that endeared "The Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet" to so many.

But step back for a moment, back to the year 1948. In that year Ozzie and Harriet, already popular radio stars for four years, replaced the young actors on their show with their own two sons. Four years later, in 1952, "The Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet" moved to the emerging new medium of television.

The Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet" debuted in an era that critics would later describe as "The Golden Age of Television." The series has been hailed as TV's prototypical family situation comedy. Though it shaped the genre and influenced later programs, few shows have ever captured the homey warmth that was the trademark of the Nelson family. But then few TV programs have ever held up such a revealing mirror to everyday family life, or been in a position to dramatize with comic flair the emerging trends shaping the nation for so many years. From radio to TV, from black and white broadcasts to living color, from the big band sounds of Ozzie to Ricky the rocker, "The Adventures of Ozzie and

Harriet" presented an ideal portrait of the American family.

One example of how "The Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet" highlighted emerging trends in America dates back to 1957. A girlfriend visiting Rick Nelson was enchanted by an Elvis Presley tune playing on the radio. Ricky vowed to record his own rock and roll hit. He did a rendition of Fats Domino's now classic "I'm Walkin'." But in April of that year came a bigger break: Ricky actually performed the

song at the end of an episode. He had his first gold record, and the show had a new storyline.

From 1957 until 1964, when a longhaired group of musi-

Liverpool, England, permanently changed the face of rock and roll, Ricky Nelson

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a number of top hits. He graced the cover of Life magazine in 1959 as the first of the "teen idols." Every week "Ozzie and Harriet" closed with Rick singing another of his tunes. As one critic observed, he smuggled rock music into America's homes.

The close feeling of identification that came to exist between fans and the Nelson family continued after the show left the airwaves in 1966. The occasional news of the Nelsons rekindled feelings of



nostalgia, though of late such news has been sad. Ozzie Nelson, the popular bandleader of the '30s. radio star of the '40s, and TV star of the '50s and '60s, died of cancer in 1975. Ricky Nelson - Eric Hilliard Nelson - died in a tragic plane crash this past New Year's Eve.

The Nelsons, Ozzie and Harriet, David and Ricky. For fourteen years they held a mirror to the vibrant nature of family life in America. Now, with the 200 episodes of "The Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet" being shown exclusively on The Disney Channel, they've managed to captivate an entire new generation of fans who are becoming acquainted with the Nel-

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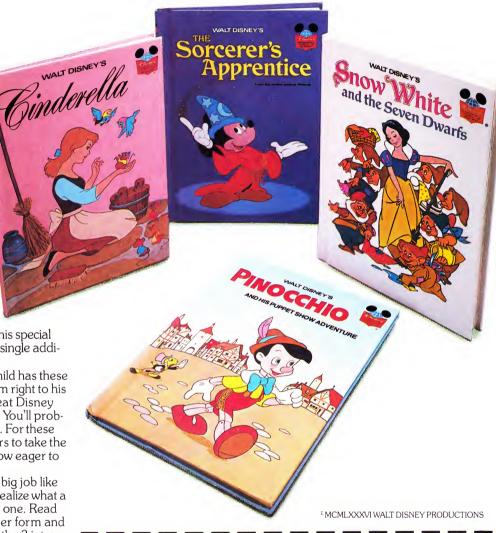
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ll the color and drama of life under the Big Top is captured on The D is ney Channel beginning

April 28th with the premiere of the International Circus Stars of Tomorrow, the ninth annual circus competition for performers under the age of 25. This 90-minute special hosted by Ben Vereen features the 1986 Festival Mondial du Cirque de Demain (as it's called in French), held every January under the blue tent of the French National Circus in the Porte de Pantin, a Paris suburb. Young competitors from around the globe are selected to compete for bronze, silver and gold medals in eight exciting events.

Among the young hopefuls who participated in this year's festival were Americans Nickolaus Winn and Mark David, both from circus families. The youngest competitor at age eight, Winn is a wire walker who began training when he was two years old. Mark David, the ever-daring young man on the flying trapeze, is a seasoned circus performer who hails from Wisconsin. His death-defying aerial act includes the famous trapeze drop, in which he suspends himself from the bar of the trapeze by his heels alone, swinging above the circus ring. Like nearly all aerialists in the competition-and in circuses - he performs without the saving grace of a net to catch him should he fall.

But this circus extravaganza is special not only because of the superb physical performances given by the world's greatest young circus stars. There are the touching and fascinating personal stories of these talented young people, their emotional struggles as they not only compete with their peers, but perform in front of a crowd composed in part of eager circus directors on the lookout for fresh new talents. It is a time of highs and lows, exhilaration and disappointment. The bonds formed between these young performers from 21 different nations last a lifetime.

The story for the two American participants begins in Sarasota, Florida, the famed winter headquarters of the Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Circus. Sarasota's the home of Nickolaus Winn. It was also the site where Mark David completed his long hours of final preparation before heading for Paris.

That focus on the human aspect of the competition continues on the other side of the Atlantic. In addition to the magnificent performances of these circus stars, there's all the excitement of watching young people coming together in friendship as they face up to the harrowing pressure of the contests. The International Circus Stars of Tomorrow is a melting pot where all competitors learn to speak the common language of exalted physical performance beneath the

bright lights of the Big Top. Founded in 1977, the International Circus Stars of Tomorrow has the high ideal of fostering both competition and camaraderie among the future stars of the world's great circuses. Backstage during the six grueling days of the event, the performers exchange equipment, advice, and communicate to one another across the barrier of strange tongues through gestures, nods, and em-

braces.

Those intense emotions are sharpened by the unusual nature of this circus olympiad, which pits clown against clown, aerialist against aerialist. The festival is divided into eight categories of competition. There are aerial acts, acrobatics, wire acts, animal acts

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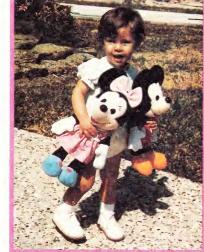
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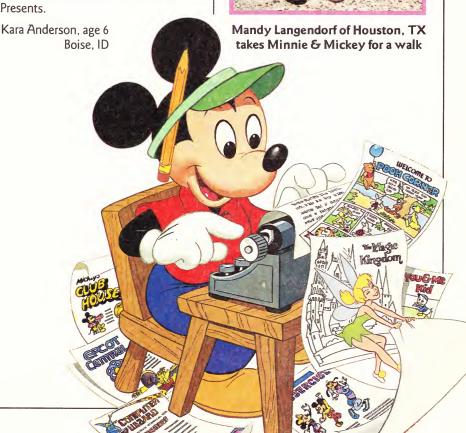
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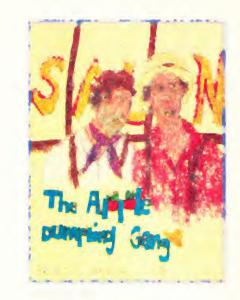
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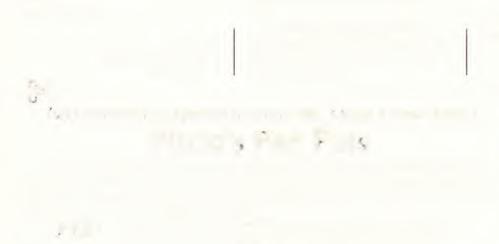
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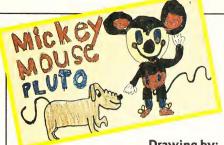
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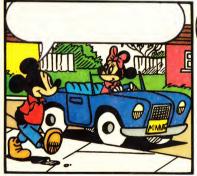
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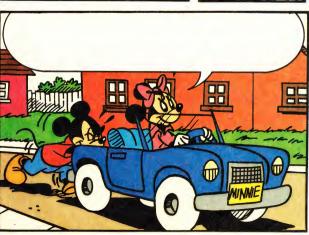
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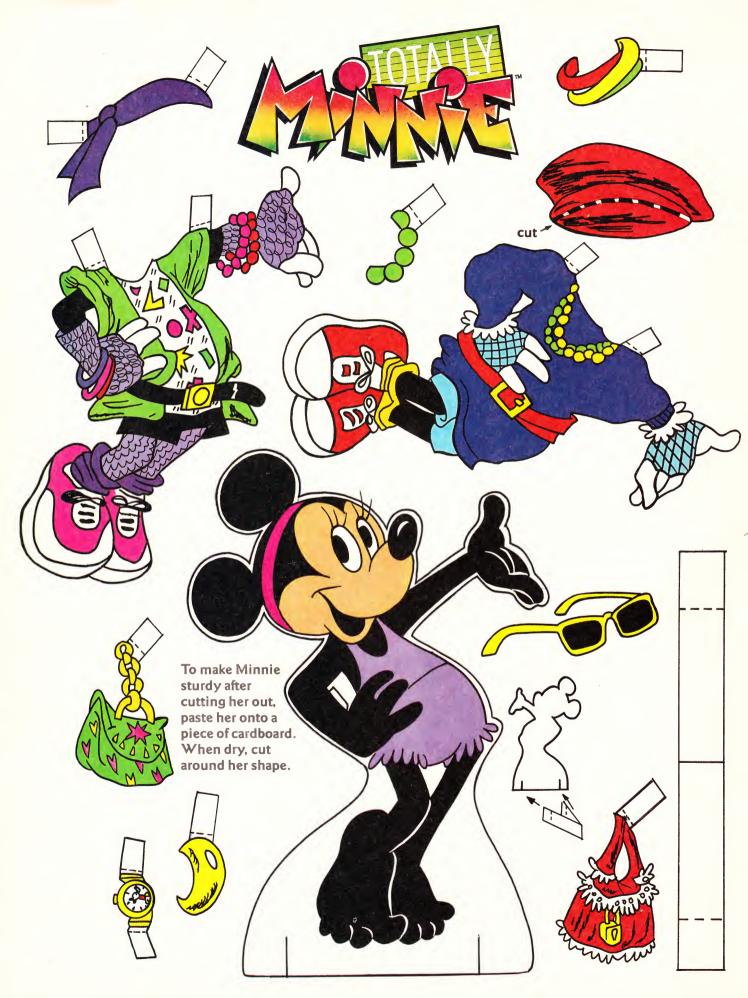




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Danny Pintauro A child star with a list of mothers

here's one character in "The Beniker Gang," airing in April, you'll never forget. He's Ben, who nervously eats paper from his notebook. He's the youngest of the five orphans who decide to stay together as a family (see article on page 12). You may also recognize him as Jonathan, the cute son of Angela, on ABC's top-rated series "Who's the Boss?" In real life he's Danny Pintauro, 10 years old, a child star of the

We were so impressed with Danny's charm on-screen (to say nothing of his paper eating) that we decided to find out more about him. An interview during his lunch break from "Who's the Boss?" revealed the same smiling, sparkly guy seen on the screen.

Perched on the edge of a couch in his dressing room, he picked at sections of an orange (he's not an eater). He talked about making "The Beniker Gang," his other professional experiences, such as five years on "As the World Turns," and his private life. You'll see what a full 10 years he's had.

"The Beniker Gang' is a fun, exciting movie," Danny says. "I got to do exciting things, like throwing the mail out the window of the van. And hiding in a laundry bag at the orphanage. That was scary because I couldn't see what was happening. Oh, and we had to run out of the Halloween contest, when I won the prize for the funniest costumes. I was an ice cream cone. They gave me that costume from the movie, but the next Halloween it was too small."

What was the best part about making "The Beniker Gang"? "I love doing movies with children. I made new friends, even with the oldest person in the movie, Andrew McCarthy. I really did feel like I came from an orphanage, and we were a family. Andrew was mostly like a real brother. They all were like real brothers and sisters."

That's not the first alternative family Danny has been in. On-screen he has been in so many families that he has a list of mothers. "A lot of different mothers, all kinds," he begins. "First is my real mother. Real ones are the best." His



Born: January 6, 1976 Appearing in: "Who's the Boss?" on ABC "The Beniker Gang" on The Disney Channel Pet: Higgins, a dog named after his favorite character on "Magnum P.I." Favorite food: Pizza

Favorite subject: Girls

Favorite team: The Yankees

current on-screen mother, Judith Light, on "Who's the Boss?" he describes as "a really funny lady."

Danny was on "As the World Turns" from age three to age eight, half of his lifetime. He filmed every day. "It was terrific," he recalls, with his usual excitement. Clearly a pro even then, by the time he was five years old he was able to memorize 50 lines of script a day.

On TV Danny has always played rich kids. On "Who's the Boss?" his mom is a successful advertising executive. His hair is never out of place and he wears preppie outfits. "I dressed the same way in 'As the World Turns.' I was from a rich family."

In real life his style is casual. Sitting in his dressing room, he's himself, tousled hair and cool clothes: jeans and a blue and black checked flannel shirt, black leather hightops, and a designer jean jacket.

Having moved from the East to California a year and a half ago, he misses his hometown friends. "But I have lots of friends out here. Half of the school knows me. They all say, 'Hi, Danny.' Most of the time I like that but sometimes it's hard when I'm not in a good mood."

He's in school, though, only during the three month break from doing "Who's the Boss?" The rest of the time he has a private tutor, whom he shares with Aylisa Milano, who plays Samantha on the show.

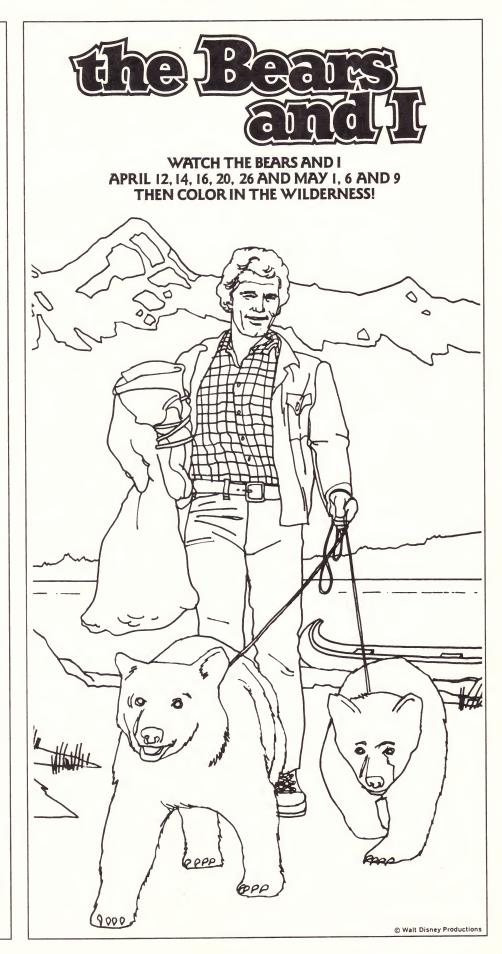
On weekends he likes to play with his neighborhood friends, skateboarding. "I don't like many sports," he says. "But I like basketball. Oh, and I like the Yankees, and I like Steve Sax from the Dodgers. We got to be friends when he was on my show. So I like baseball, too."

What he really likes is music: pop music, like the group "Wham!" and he is learning to play the keyboard.

Last fall he helped make the video and record, "The Children Of The World Project," singing "We Are The World," which occasionally airs on The Disney Channel between scheduled programs. It was nominated for a Grammy award. (Like the earlier adult version, all of the profits from record and video sales go to USA for Africa.)

The future? "Well, I'll just have to see what happens. But it will probably be acting, and probably when I get to be an adult, I'll be a director or producer."

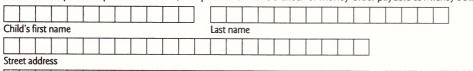
And he'll probably never have to eat paper out of a notebook again. On the other hand, it turns out that eating paper isn't quite as bad as you'd think. "They made the notebook taste like banana," Danny confesses, giggling.



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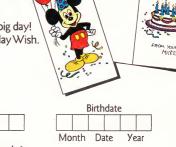


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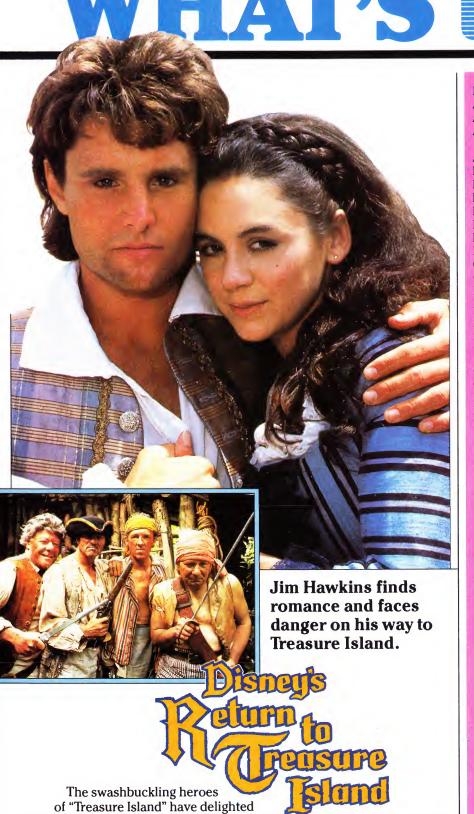
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THE DISNEY CHANNEL LINEUP FOR APRIL 1 - MAY 10



readers for generations. Now The Disney Channel's new 10-hour mini-series reunites Jim Hawkins and Long John Silver in a new epic adventure

that ranges from England to the West Indies.

It premieres on April 5.

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Ì	Charlie, the Lonesome Cougar	
	Computer Wore Tennis Shoes, The	
	Darby O'Gill and the Little People	
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ı	Disney's Return to Treasure Island	.28
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	Further Adventures of the	
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	Genevieve	.29
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Popular teenage sleuths move to prime time on Wednesdays

Mystery, adventure, lighthearted fun—that's the Edison Twins! Now there's an exciting new episode each week—Wednesdays at 8:00 p.m., EST. There's trouble around every corner and the twins' kid brother Paul is often in the thick of it. But Tom and

Annie, the superbright twins, armed with scientific know-how, waste no time in getting to the bottom of perplexing mysteries in this



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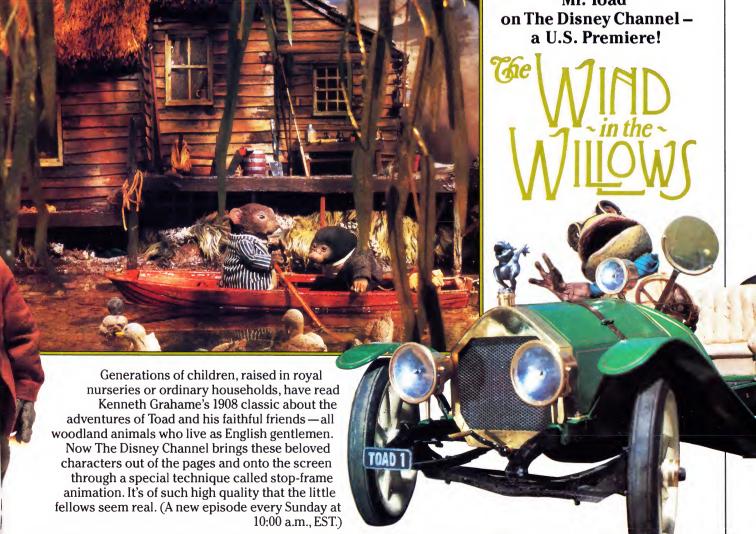
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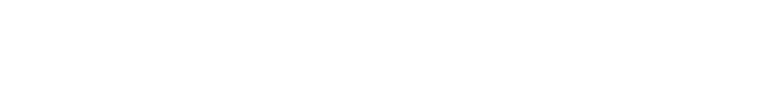


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The Edison Twins:

"Survival of the Fittest," Part 1 of a three-part story about the Windigo myth.

April 9, 12, 14

Danger Bay:

The aquarium's beluga whale gives birth to a male calf, "The Only One."

April 9, 11, 13, 14

Steve Allen's Comedy Room:

Sid Caesar and Mort Sahl open this exclusive weekly series.

April 7

DARBY O'GILL AND THE LITTLE PEOPLE: Darby wrests wishes from the king of the leprechauns.

April 2, 4, 8, 12, 24, 27
THE WIND IN THE WILLOWS: Toad renounces his friends in favor of cars.

April 2, 5, 9, 27
ANNA TO THE INFINITE POWER: A young girl explores her identity.

April 3, 8

THE BEARS AND I

Bob Leslie, a young Vietnam vet (Patrick Wayne), journeys into the White Bird wilderness to deliver the personal effects of a deceased army friend to the man's father, an Indian Chief (Chief Dan George). When Leslie decides to stay on, seeking solitude and solace, he finds anything but, as he adopts three orphaned bear cubs—and is soon caught up in a struggle between the Indians and Parks Commissioner Gaines over turning the wilderness into a national park. An exclusive Disney Channel premiere, the film's theme song was composed and performed by John Denver.



THE ELECTRIC GRANDMOTHER

Academy Award winner Maureen Stapleton portrays the perfect American grandmother — although she's a robot. Time literally means nothing to her, as her "grandchildren" eventually discover in this exclusive special.

April 9, 12, 17, 26; May 2

Sunday, April 6

Professor (1:36) p.29

6:30 Danger Bay Sunken

7:00 MOVIE Beau Brummel

9:00 MOVIE Days of Heaven

10:40 America, the Beautiful 11:00 MOVIE Never a Dull

12:30 The Scheme of Things

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DAYS OF HEAVEN

Three vagrants, a young man, his sister, and the man's girl friend (Richard Gere, Linda Manz and Brooke Adams) flee turn-of-the-century Chicago to work the wheat harvests in the American heartland. On the vast holdings of a wealthy farmer (Pulitzer prize-winning playwright Sam Shepard), Gere and Adams set Shepard up for the ultimate con game, only to discover that they've set the stage for an all consuming tragedy. Nestor Almandros won an Oscar for his cinematography.

"Days of Heaven" has been selected for our mature viewers and will air only after 9:00 p.m. Eastern/Pacific time. Parental discretion is advised.

April 6, 12, 18, 28

Tuesday, April 8



THIS WEEK

♥ Starting this week, new episodes of two favorite Disney Channel adventure series premiere each Wednesday night.





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6:30	7:30	You and Me, Kid	6:30		Welcome to Pooh Corner	6:30	7
7:00	8:00	Dumbo's Circus	7:00		Donald Duck Presents	7:00	8
7:30	8:30	Good Morning, Mickey!	7:30	8:30	Dumbo's Circus	7:30	8
8:00	9:00	Welcome to Pooh Corner	8:00		You and Me, Kid	8:00	9
8:30	9:30	Donald Duck Presents	8:30		New! Animal World	8:30	9
9:00	10:00	Pecos Bill	9:00	10:00	MOVIE The Beniker Gang	9:00	10
9:30		MOVIE The Railway			(1:27) p.29		
		Children (1:48) p.29	10:30	11:30	SPECIAL Winnie the Pooh		
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		Zorro: Ambush			(1:23) p.28	3:00	4
1:30		MOVIE The Adventures of	1:30	2:30	The Raccoons Dungeons	3:30	5
		the Wilderness Family			and Raccoons p.34 ©	4:00	3
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8:00	9:00	You and Me, Kid
8:30	9:30	New! Animal World
9:00	10:00	MOVIE Anna to the
		Infinite Power (1:45)
		p.30
1:00		Milestones for Mickey
2:00	1:00	MOVIE The Adventures of
		the Wilderness Family
		(1:38) p.31
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Friendly Enemies at Law;
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Nature's Mysteries

6:30 The Adventures of Ozzie

7:00 MOVIE Darby O'Gill and

and Harriet

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HERBIE GOES TO MONTE CARLO

Herbie The Love Bug shifts into high gear when he and his wacky racing team (Dean Jones and Don Knotts) enter the wildest road race of all time: a high-speed dash from Paris' Eiffel Tower to the glittering casinos at Monte Carlo. Not only does the trio have to contend with such side-splitting detours as jewel thieves who have stashed a priceless diamond in Herbie's gas tank, but there's also this nifty baby blue Lancia that's set her headlights on Herbie - and the Love Bug has flipped hood over wheels for her! And of course, romance and laughter wouldn't be complete if the Lancia's driver (Julie Sommars) hasn't set her cap for Dean in this exclusive Disney Channel road riot.

Dean Jones, Disney's most durable star, made two films and a mini-series with Herbie. "The little guy did have some problems," Jones recalls. "He was in love with me in the first movie!" April 11, 13, 17, 19, 27, 30; May 2, 5

BOY FROM DEAD MAN'S BAYOU

There are plenty of thrills in this exclusive movie as a hurricane roars through the Louisiana bayou country, destroying a small church and making an orphan of young Jeannot (Mitch

Vogel). In memory of his father, and with the help of a fisherman who designs charms to ward off evil swamp spirits, Jeannot locates the sunken church bell and sets about retrieving it from alligator-infested Dead Man's Bayou. April 3, 7, 10, 12, 15, 20, 29

THE 39 STEPS

The innocent man judged as guilty on the basis of circumstantial evidence - it's the signature of a classic Alfred Hitchcock mystery. Robert Donat is the man who stumbles into a web of intrigue, espionage, and murder — and both the real spies and England's police are determined to track him down in this memorable Disney Channel premiere.

April 7, 10, 13, 15, 19, 27; May 2



THE ADVENTURES **OF THE** WILDERNESS FAMILY

Part one of a trilogy tells of the adventures of the Robinson family when they move from the city to a cabin in the Rockies. April 6, 8, 12, 17, 21, 25

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In this week's part two of the exclusive Wilderness Family trilogy, the Robinsons face the end of their first year in the cabin they built in the Rockies. One of the worst winters in 20 years confirms the Robinsons' bravery and stamina, but eventu-

ally forces them to make the crucial decision of whether to stay or return to life in the city.

April 13, 17, 22

A NIGHT TO REMEMBER

The Titanic - at her launching she was the largest liner ever built, and her owners claimed she was unsinkable. But on her maiden voyage from Liverpool to New York, she struck an iceberg, sending thousands to a watery grave. Kenneth More heads a stellar cast in this Disney Channel premiere.

April 15, 18, 21, 23, 29; May 3

TOOT, WHISTLE, PLUNK AND BOOM

Prof. Owl traces the origin and development of musical instruments in this amusing, informative, exclusive special. April 19; May 9





BRADY'S ESCAPE

In the closing days of World War II, an American bomber is shot down over Nazi-occupied Hungary. Trapped behind enemy lines, Captain Brady (John Savage) is given shelter by a doctor and the workers of a horse ranch, who hide Brady from the Germans. On the ranch Brady cements his friendship with the young Mika (Kelly Reno) and the beautiful Klara (Ildiko Basagi). Then the trio attempts a desperate escape in this thrilling Disney Channel premiere.

Some scenes may be too intense for young children, therefore "Brady's Escape" will air only after 9.00 p.m. Eastern/Pacific time. April 19, 23; May 5

THE GREAT CARUSO

This Disney Channel premiere was the smash musical hit of 1951, and won an Oscar for its sound. One great singing legend portrays another, as the late Mario Lanza brings to life opera's immortal tenor, the divine Caruso. Described as the "singingest" musical ever made, the film includes 27 vocal numbers. April 14, 16, 19, 22; May 1, 4, 7

THIS WEEK

¥ U.S. PREMIERE "The Wind in the Willows," a 52-episode series. Sundays, 10:00 a.m., EST

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7:00		Dumbo's Circus
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8:30	9:30	Donald Duck Presents
9:00	10:00	The Wind in the Willows
		The Further Adventures of
		Toad p.33
9:30	10:30	MOVIE Herbie Goes to
		Monte Carlo (1:45) p.35
11:15	12:15	SPECIAL Baseball Fever
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12:05	1:05	Disney's Legends &
		Heroes Elfego Baca: Gus
		Tomlin Is Dead; Zorro: The
		Practical Joker p.38
1:30		New! Animal World
2:00	3:00	MOVIE Little Dragons
		(1:27) p.29
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		Treasure Island (1:44) p.28
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		Disney's Return to
		Treasure Island (0:30)
8:00	9:00	MOVIE Something Wicked

This Way Comes (1:35)

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Mysteries

11:00 MOVIE The Further

Adventures of the

Wilderness Family (1:45) p.32

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6:00	7:00	Good Morning, Mickey!	6:00	7:00	Good Morning, Mickey!
6:30		Welcome to Pooh Corner	6:30	7:30	Welcome to Pooh Corner
7:00	8:00	Donald Duck Presents	7:00	8:00	Donald Duck Presents
7:30	8:30	Dumbo's Circus	7:30	8:30	Dumbo's Circus
8:00	9:00	You and Me, Kid	8:00		You and Me, Kid
8:30	9:30	New! Animal World	8:30		New! Animal World
9:00	10:00	MOVIE Beau Brummel	9:00	10:00	MOVIE The 39 Steps
		(1:51) p.29			(1:27) p.31
11:00	12:00	Steve Allen's Comedy	10:30	11:30	The Scheme of Things
		Room Louis Nye, Jack	11:00	12:00	SPECIAL Call It Courage
		Carter, Dick Shawn p.33	12:00	1:00	MOVIE Boy from
12:00	1:00	MOVIE The Bears and I			Dead Man's Bayou (1:32)
		(1:29) p.30			p.31
1:30	2:30	The Edison Twins Survival	1:45		DTVS
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4:30	5:30	Wonderful World of			Disney The Truth About
		Disney Major Effects			Mother Goose
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		and Harriet		7.00	and Harriet
6:00	7:00	MOVIE The Secret of the	6:00	/:00	MOVIE A Night to
7.00		Pond (1:30) p.35	0.05	0.05	Remember (2:01) p.32
7:30		Mouseterpiece Theater	8:05	9:00	MOVIE The Badlanders
8:00	9:00	MOVIE The Great Caruso	9:30	10.20	(1:23) p.28 Nature's Half Acre
10.00	11.00	(1:49) p.32	10:05	11:05	
10:00	11:00	MOVIE The Beniker Gang (1:27) p.29	10:03	11:03	Heroes Elfego Baca: Gus
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The Edison Twins:

In "Gone with the Windigo" Annie rallies the Weston team to a spirited finish in the wilderness race, and then Tom and Annie search for the Windigo monster. (Part 2 of a three-part story about the Windigo myth.)

April 16, 18, 19

Danger Bay:

When grizzly bears turn aggressive and tangle with campers, "Doc" Roberts (Donnelly Rhodes) suspects these "Mad Hatter Bears" are victims of mercury poisoning, forcing "Doc" and Joyce (Deborah Wakeham) to undertake an investigation.

April 16, 18, 20

The Wind in the Willows:

"The Further Adventures of Toad" include a banquet to honor his friends for their help in reclaiming Toad Hall from the Weasels. But Toad's exaggerated stories about his own bravery depress his friends and they decide to teach him a lesson.

April 6, 10, 12

THE WIND IN THE WILLOWS

The U.S. premiere of the charming 52-part series starts this week on The Disney Channel. Picking up where the feature movie by the same name (which premiered in March) left off, "The Further Adventures of Toad" and succeeding episodes of the series will continue the madcap adventures of the pompous Toad, and his more humble friends Rat, Mole and Badger.

A technically advanced process of stop-frame model animation brings the lovable characters to life. And the costumes and furnishings have been designed with as much care as those for a blockbuster live-action movie. Striped blazers, ascots, teacups, and cameras—all only a couple of inches in size—are designed to look exactly as they would have in 1908.

April 13, 17, 19





THE ISLAND AT THE TOP OF THE WORLD

When four turn-of-the-century explorers fly an airship into the arctic, they encounter adventure beyond belief. Driven off course by a storm, they land on a mysterious island hidden beneath dense clouds, and discover a lost colony of warlike Vikings. This fantastic film saga in the Jules Verne tradition crackles with suspense as the travelers attempt to escape the doom in store for them. It stars David Hartman.

April 19, 24, 26, 30; May 4, 8

Wednesday, April 16 Friday, April 18 Thursday, April 17 Saturday, April 19 CENTRAL EASTERN/PACIFIC CENTRAL FASTERN/PACIFIC CENTRAL FASTERN/PACIFIC CENTRAL FASTERN/PACIFIC 5:00 6:00 Mickey Mouse Club 6:00 Donald Duck Presents 5:00 6:00 Mickey Mouse Club 5:00 6:00 Mickey Mouse Club 5:00 6:30 Mousercise 5:30 5:30 6:30 Mousercise 5:30 6:30 Mousercise 5:30 6:30 Wish Upon a Star 7:00 Good Morning, Mickey! 7:30 Welcome to Pooh Corner 7:00 Good Morning, Mickey! 7:30 Welcome to Pooh Corner Good Morning, Mickey! Welcome to Pooh Corner 6:00 6:00 6:00 6:00 Mousercise 7:00 7:00 7:30 You and Me, Kid 6:30 6:30 6:30 6:30 **Donald Duck Presents** 8:00 Dumbo's Circus 7:00 8:00 Donald Duck Presents 7:00 8:00 Donald Duck Presents 7:00 8:00 7:00 8:30 Good Morning, Mickey! 9:00 Welcome to Pooh Corner 7:30 7:30 8:30 Dumho's Circus 7:30 8:30 Dumho's Circus 7:30 8:30 Dumho's Circus 9:00 You and Me, Kid You and Me, Kid New! Animal World You and Me, Kid 8:00 8:00 9.00 8:00 9.00 8-00 **New! Animal World** New! Animal World **Donald Duck Presents** 8:30 9.30 8.30 9.30 8:30 9.30 8.30 9.30 9:00 9:00 9:00 10:00 The Wind in the Willows 10:00 MOVIE The Secret of the 10:00 MOVIE The Adventures of 9:00 10:00 MOVIE The Badlanders Pond (1:30) p.35 the Wilderness Family (1:23) p.28 The Further Adventures of 11:30 The Scheme of Things 11:30 Danger Bay Mad Hatter Toad p.33 MOVIE Herbie Goes to 10:30 (1:38) p.31 10:30 12:00 11:00 Steve Allen's Music 10:45 11:45 DTVS Bears p.33® 9:30 10:30 12:00 SPECIAL The Electric 11:00 12:00 Milestones for Mickey Monte Carlo (1:45) p.31 Room p.29 11:00 12:00 Grandmother (0:50) p.30 1:00 **MOVIE The Great Caruso** 11:45 12:45 DTVS 11:15 12:00 MOVIE The Beniker Gang 12:00 1:00 MOVIE Little Dragons 11:30 12:30 The Edison Twins Gone (1:49) p.32 2:00 3:00 with the Windigo p.33® **Dumbo's Circus** (1:27) p.29 (1:26) p.29 Welcome to Pooh Corner 1:30 The Wind in the Willows 12:00 MOVIE The Secret of the 2:30 2:30 1:30 2:30 The Edison Twins Gone 3.30 3:00 Pond (1:29) p.35 4:00 Mickey Mouse Club The Further Adventures of with the Windigo p.33\$ 1:30 2:00 3:30 4:30 Donald Duck Presents Toad p.33 **Dumbo's Circus New! Animal World Dumbo's Circus** 4:00 5:00 New! Animal World 2:00 2:30 3:30 Welcome to Pooh Corner 2:00 Wonderful World of 4:30 5:30 Wonderful World of 2:30 3:30 Welcome to Pooh Corner 3:00 4:00 Mickey Mouse Club Disney The Goofy Success Disney A Story of Dogs 3:00 Mickey Mouse Club 3:30 4:30 Donald Duck Presents 5:30 6:30 The Adventures of Ozzie 3:30 **Donald Duck Presents** 3:00 SPECIAL Toot, Whistle, 4:30 4:00 **New! Animal World** 4:00 and Harriet 5.00 **New! Animal World** 4:30 Wonderful World of Plunk and Boom (0:49) 6:00 7:00 SPECIAL Winnie the Pooh 4:30 Wonderful World of Disney The Boy Who Flew and a Day for Eeyore 5:00 MOVIE The 39 Steps 4:00 With Condors Disney Deacon, The High 6:30 The Adventures of Ozzie (1:27) p.31 (0:25) p.39 Noon Dog 5:30 Man, Monsters and 6:30 7:30 The Raccoons Dungeons 5:30 6:30 The Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet 5:30 and Raccoons p.34\$ and Harriet 6:00 7:00 Disney's Legends & Mysteries MOVIE The Island at the 7:00 8:00 The Edison Twins Gone 6:00 **MOVIE Herbie Goes to** Heroes Texas John 6:00 with the Windigo p.33® Monte Carlo (1:45) p.31 Slaughter: Wild Horse Top of the World (1:29) 7:30 Danger Bay Mad Hatter 7:45 Mouseterpiece Theater Revenge; Zorro: The Bears p.33® Mouseterpiece Theater 8:00 MOVIE The Further Flaming Arrow p.38 MOVIE Brady's Escape 8:00 9:00 MOVIE The Bears and I 7:30 8:30 Mouseterpiece Theater 8:00 Adventures of the **MOVIE** Days of Heaven (1:30) p.32 Wilderness Family (1:45) 8:00 9:00 (1:29) p.30 9:30 10:30 SPECIAL The Making of p.32 10:45 DTV® 9:30 10:30 DTVS (1:35) p.30 Symposium of Popular 9:45 10:35 DTV® 9:40 10:40 Disney's Return to 9:35 10:45 MOVIE A Night to Treasure Island p.28 10:00 11:00 MOVIE Beau Brummel 9:45 10:00 11:00 **MOVIE The Great Caruso** MOVIE Disney's Return to (1:51) p.29 Remember (2:01) p.32 Treasure Island (1:44) p.28 (1:49) p.32

BEDKNOBS AND BROOMSTICKS

Angela Lansbury plays a novice witch in England, saddled with three young evacuees during World War II, who magically musters a medieval army to repel Nazi invaders.

Along the way she finds time to enchant her wards with a brass bed which, like a flying carpet, carries them to a number of fascinating places including the legendary island of Naboombu.

This exclusive Academy Award-winning movie is presented for the first time on TV in its original, uncut version beginning Sunday, May 4. It reunites the creative team responsible for "Mary Poppins," notably co-star David Tomlinson, producer/screenwriter Bill Walsh, director Robert Stevenson, and the Oscar-winning composers Richard M. and Robert B. Sherman.

A delightful blend of live-action and animation, "Bedknobs and Broomsticks" is based on a book by Mary Norton.



The Edison Twins:

In "The Secret of Windigo Lake," Tom and Annie have a hunch about the sudden disappearance of the mysterious Windigo. Following a terrifying chase through the forest, the twins reveal the lake's secret. (Part 3 of a three-part story about the Windigo myth.) April 23, 24, 26, 28,

Danger Bay:

Sightings of a sea monster in a local bay trigger a tourist boom, sending "Doc" (Donnelly Rhodes) and his kids Jonah (Christopher Crabb) and Nicole (Ocean Hellman) on a sea hunt to determine the exact "Nature of the Beast."

April 23, 26, 28

The Wind in the Willows:

"The Kidnapping of Toad" is the result of his accepting an invitation to give an evening talk to his enemies, the wily weasels. Toad's friends object to paying his ransom, and set about freeing him. April 20, 26



STORIES FROM A **FLYING TRUNK**

Premiering this week on The Disney Channel is an unusual 90-minute feature made from three Hans Christian Andersen stories - "The Little Match Girl," "The Little Ida," and "The Kitchen." This movie of the classic fairy tales is illustrated by a whimsical combination of stopframe animation and real-life ballet dancers dressed as vegetables.

April 21, 26, 29; May 5, 10

THE RACCOONS

Alarm bells sound! Someone has infiltrated Cyril Sneer's mansion. Find out who it is in "Dungeons and Raccoons."

April 1, 5, 7, 11, 16, 20, 23

Tuesday April 22

THIS WEEK

∀Join Bob Hope, Bing Crosby, and Dorothy Lamour on "The Road to Bali."

₩ Angela Lansbury is bewitching in the Oscar-winning Disney classic, "Bedknobs and Broomsticks."

Please Note: If you live in the Mountain Time Zone all programs begin one hour later than the listed Eastern/Pacific time.

Sunday, April 20 Monday, April 21 CENTRAL EASTERN/PACIFIC

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5:00	6:00	Donald Duck Presents
5:30	6:30	Contraption
6:00	7:00	Mousercise
6:30	7:30	You and Me, Kid
7:00	8:00	Dumbo's Circus
7:30	8:30	Good Morning, Mickey!
8:00	9:00	Welcome to Pooh Corner
8:30	9:30	Donald Duck Presents
9:00	10:00	The Wind in the Willows
		The Kidnapping of Toad
		D.34
9:30	10:30	MOVIE Boy From Dead
		Man's Bayou (1:32) p.31
11:15	12:15	DTVS
11:30		The Raccoons Dungeons
		& Raccoons p.34
12:00	1:00	Disney's Legends &
		Heroes Texas John
		Slaughter: Wild Horse
		Revenge; Zorro: The
		Flaming Arrow p.38
1:30	2:30	New! Animal World
2:00	3:00	SPECIAL Call It Courage
3:00		Nature's Half Acre
3:45	4:45	DTVS
4:00	5:00	MOVIE The Bears and I
		(1:28) p.30
5:30	6:30	Danger Bay Mad Hatter
		Bears p.33®
6:00	7:00	MOVIE The Badlanders
		p.28
7:45	8:45	DTVS
8:00	9:00	
	-:	(1:43) p.35
10:00	11:00	MOVIE Mountain Family
		Robinson p.35
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11:30 | 12:30 The Scheme of Things

CENTRAL	EASTERN/	PACIFIC
5:00	6:00	Mickey Mouse Club
5:30	6:30	Mousercise
6:00		Good Morning, Mickey!
6:30	7:30	Welcome to Pooh Corner
7:00	8:00	Donald Duck Presents
7:30	8:30	Dumbo's Circus
8:00	9:00	You and Me, Kid
8:30	9:30	New! Animal World
9:00	10:00	MOVIE A Night to
		Remember (2:01) p.32
11:00	12:00	Steve Allen's Comedy
		Room Red Buttons,
		Shelley Berman, George
		Gobel, Glenn Hirsch p.34
12:00	1:00	
		Treasure Island (1:44)
		p.28
1:45	2:45	DTVS
2:00		Dumbo's Circus
2:30		Welcome to Pooh Corner
3:00		Mickey Mouse Club
3:30		Donald Duck Presents
4:00		New! Animal World
4:30	5:30	Wonderful World of
		Disney Joker, The Amiable
		Ocelot
5:30	6:30	The Adventures of Ozzie
		and Harriet
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7:30	8:30	Mouseterpiece Theater
8:00	9:00	MOVIE Beau Brummel
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		the Wilderness Family
		(1:38) p.31
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CENTRAL	EASTERN	PACIFIC
5:00	6:00	Mickey Mouse Club
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6:00	7:00	Good Morning, Mickey!
6:30	7:30	Welcome to Pooh Corner
7:00	8:00	Donald Duck Presents
7:30	8:30	Dumbo's Circus
8:00	9:00	You and Me, Kid
8:30	9:30	New! Animal World
9:00	10:00	MOVIE The Great Caruso
		(1:49) p.32
11:15	12:15	Bear Country
11:00	1:00	MOVIE The Further
		Adventures of the
		Wilderness Family (1:44)
		p.32
1:45	2:45	DTVS
2:00	3:00	Dumbo's Circus
2:30	3:30	Welcome to Pooh Corner
3:00	4:00	Mickey Mouse Club
3:30	4:30	Donald Duck Presents
4:00	5:00	New! Animal World
4:30	5:30	Wonderful World of
		Disney Adventure in

3.00	10.00	(1:49) p.32
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11.00	1.00	Adventures of the
		Wilderness Family (1:44)
		p.32
1:45	2.45	DTVS
2:00		Dumbo's Circus
2:30		Welcome to Pooh Corner
3:00		Mickey Mouse Club
3:30		Donald Duck Presents
4:00		New! Animal World
4:30		Wonderful World of
	0.00	Disney Adventure in
		Satan's Canyon
5:30	6:30	The Adventures of Ozzie
		and Harriet
6:00	7:00	MOVIE The Beniker Gang
		(1:27) p.29
7:30	8:30	Mouseterpiece Theater
8:00	9:00	MOVIE The Secret of the
		Pond (1:29) p.35
9:30		Water Birds
10:00	11:00	Disney's Legends &
		Heroes Texas John
		Slaughter: Wild Horse
		Revenge; Zorro: The
		Flaming Arrow p.38
11:30	12:30	The Scheme of Things

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SNEAK-A-PEEK WEEKEND

From Thursday, April 24th to Sunday, April 27th, we're letting the rest of America tune in on what they've been missing—all the magical entertainment that comes with a subscription to The Disney Channel. We'll be presenting a special selection of Disney film fa-

vorites, exclusive specials, and series.

We'll also be offering new subscribers a free 8x10 color portrait of their family from Sears. That same offer applies to *all* Disney Channel families, no matter when they became subscribers, so look for your coupon between pages 28 and 29.

WUTHERING HEIGHTS

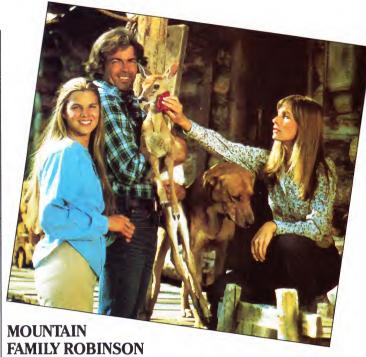
Merle Oberon, Laurence Olivier and David Niven star in this truly great romantic film about the ill-fated love affair between Catherine Earnshaw and Heathcliff, her stable boy. April 20, 23, 29; May 2, 5



THE SECRET OF THE POND

A pampered 14-year-old city boy visits his uncle in the Virginia swamplands, makes three unlikely friends, learns about a way of life far removed from his own, then finds himself in mortal danger when he arouses the suspicion of an alligator poacher.

This exclusive movie was filmed on location in Virginia and was adapted from Robert Murphy's well-received novel, "The Pond." April 14, 16, 19, 22, 28; May 4



This movie, the last adventure in the trilogy of The Wilderness Family, pits the Robinsons (Robert Logan, Susan Damante Shaw, Ham Larsen, Heather Rattray) against an adversary of a different kind: the United States Government.

The Forestry Service claims that the Robinsons have homesteaded on government property and therefore must vacate immediately. The family must prove that they do have the right to their home, their use of the land, and their wilderness lifestyle.

"Mountain Family Robinson" was filmed in the magnificent Rocky Mountain region of Colorado.

April 20, 23, 29; May 3, 8

Wednesday, April 23		Thursday, April 24		Friday, April 25			Saturday, April 26		
CENTRAL		CENTRAL	EASTERN/PACIFIC	CENTRAL	EASTERN/PACIFIC		EASTERN/PACIFIC		
5:00	6:00 Mickey Mouse Club	5:00	6:00 Mickey Mouse Club	5:00	6:00 Mickey Mouse Club	5:00	6:00 Donald Duck Presents		
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6:00	7:00 Good Morning, Mickey!	6:00	7:00 Good Morning, Mickey!	6:00	7:00 Good Morning, Mickey!	6:00	7:00 Mousercise		
6:30	7:30 Welcome to Pooh Corner	6:30	7:30 Welcome to Pooh Corner	6:30	7:30 Welcome to Pooh Corner	6:30	7:30 You and Me, Kid		
7:00	8:00 Donald Duck Presents	7:00	8:00 Donald Duck Presents	7:00	8:00 Donald Duck Presents	7:00	8:00 Welcome to Pooh Corner		
7:30	8:30 Dumbo's Circus	7:30	8:30 Dumbo's Circus	7:30	8:30 Dumbo's Circus	7:30	8:30 Good Morning, Mickey!		
8:00	9:00 You and Me, Kid	8:00	9:00 You and Me, Kid	8:00	9:00 You and Me, Kid	8:00	9:00 Dumbo's Circus		
8:30		8:30	9:30 MOVIE Island at the Top	8:30	9:30 MOVIE The Beniker Gang	8:30	9:30 Donald Duck Presents		
9:00	10:00 MOVIE Mountain Family		of the World (1:29) p.33		(1:27) p.29	9:00	10:00 The Wind in the Willows		
	Robinson (1:39) p.35	10:10	11:10 DTVS	10:10	11:10 DTVS		The Kidnapping of Toad		
10:40	11:40 Symposium of Popular	10:30	11:30 New! Animal World	10:30	11:30 New! Animal World		p.34		
	Songs	11:00	12:00 The Adventures of Ozzie	11:00	12:00 The Adventures of Ozzie	9:30	10:30 MOVIE Stories from a		
11:00	12:00 Steve Allen's Music		and Harriet		and Harriet		Flying Trunk (1:30) p.34		
	Room Rosemary Clooney,	11:30	12:30 MOVIE The Apple	11:30	12:30 MOVIE The Adventures of	11:00	12:00 SPECIAL Winnie the Pooh		
	Lou Rawls p.34		Dumpling Gang Rides		the Wilderness Family		and a Day for Eeyore		
12:00	1:00 MOVIE Wuthering Heights		Again (1:28)		(1:38) p.31		(0:25) p.39		
	(1:43) p.35	1:00	2:00 The Edison Twins The	1:15	2:15 DTV®		12:30 New! Animal World		
1:45	2:45 DTVS		Secret of Windigo Lake	1:30	2:30 Dumbo's Circus	12:00	1:00 MOVIE The Bears and I		
2:00	3:00 Dumbo's Circus		p.34\$	2:00	3:00 Welcome to Pooh Corner		(1:28) p.30		
2:30	3:30 Welcome to Pooh Corner	1:30	2:30 Dumbo's Circus	2:30	3:30 Mickey Mouse Club	2:00	3:00 Wonderful World of		
3:00	4:00 Mickey Mouse Club	2:00	3:00 Welcome to Pooh Corner	3:00	4:00 Once Upon a Mouse		Disney Duckling Disaster		
3:30	4:30 Donald Duck Presents	2:30	3:30 Mickey Mouse Club	3:30	4:30 SPECIAL Shoeshine Girl		with Donald and His		
4:00	5:00 New! Animal World	3:00	4:00 SPECIAL Winnie the Pooh	4:00	5:00 Donald Duck Presents		Friends		
4:30	5:30 Wonderful World of		and a Day for Eeyore	4:30	5:30 Wonderful World of	3:00	4:00 SPECIAL The Electric		
	Disney The Ranger's		(0:27) p.39		Disney Pluto and His		Grandmother (0:50)		
	Guide to Nature	3:30	4:30 SPECIAL A Different Kind		Friends		p.30		
5:30	6:30 The Adventures of Ozzie		of Winning	5:00	6:00 SPECIAL The Best of	4:00	5:00 MOVIE The Computer		
	and Harriet	4:00	5:00 Donald Duck Presents		Ozzie and Harriet (1:00)		Wore Tennis Shoes (1:30)		
6:00	7:00 Arizona Sheepdog	4:30	5:30 Wonderful World of		p.39		p.36		
6:30	7:30 The Raccoons Dungeons		Disney Kids Is Kids	6:00	7:00 MOVIE Bedknobs and	5:30	6:30 The Edison Twins The		
	and Raccoons p.34®	5:30	6:30 The Adventures of Ozzie		Broomsticks (1:52)		Secret of Windigo Lake		
7:00	8:00 The Edison Twins The		and Harriet		p.34®		p.34		
	Secret of Windigo Lake p.3	\$ 6:00	7:00 MOVIE Treasure Island	8:00	9:00 MOVIE Disney's Return to	6:00	7:00 MOVIE The Road to Bali		
7:30	8:30 Danger Bay Nature of the		(1:35) plus		Treasure Island (1:44)		(1:30)		
	Beast p.34®		SPECIAL The Making of		p.28	7:30	8:30 Danger Bay Nature of the		
8:00	9:00 MOVIE A Night to		Disney's Return to	10:00	11:00 MOVIE Something Wicked		Beast p.34		
	Remember (2:01) p.32		Treasure Island p.28		This Way Comes (1:35)	8:00	9:00 MOVIE The Absent-Minded		
10:15	11:15 MOVIE Brady's Escape	8:00	9:00 MOVIE Country (1:49)\$		p.29®		Professor (1:36) p.29		
13110	(1:30) p.32	10:00	11:00 MOVIE Darby O'Gill and			10:00	11:00 MOVIE Island at the Top		
11:45			the Little People (1:30) p.30				of the World (1:29) p.33		
11:45		10:00				10.00			

WILD HORIZONS

Premiering this week is an original production, made specifically for The Disney Channel by Survival Anglia. It's the story of cameraman Dieter Plage and his wife Mary, who have shot some of the most exciting wildlife specials ever filmed. This time the camera turns on Dieter, showing him scaling mountains and braving gorilla assaults to get "impossible" shots.

April 30; May 3, 6, 9





THE COMPUTER WORE TENNIS SHOES

College student Dexter Riley accidentally plugs into the new campus computer and acquires its memory and calculating ability. Unfortunately, Dexter's brain now holds information on a gambling syndicate run by A. J. Arno, a local businessman.

Dexter's aptitude lands him on a TV quiz show. One question trips his memory and he begins revealing locations of the gambling joints. Arno's henchmen set out to silence the talking computer. This high-tech, exclusive screen comedy accelerates when hoods and students battle to a crashing conclusion.

April 26, 28; May 2, 8, 10

Sunday, April 27



WATER BABIES

Tom, a runaway chimney sweep, leaps into a whirlpool to escape capture.

In this exclusive full-length film fantasy, combining liveaction and animation, Tom discovers that he must help free some imprisoned Water Babies before he can return to the world above.

April 29; May 4, 8, 10

Tuesday, April 29



Starting May 2, a new hour episode of this exclusive 10-hour mini-series will premiere every Friday at 8:00 p.m. EST/PST.

In the third hour, "Island of the Damned," Long John Silver and his shipmates make land only to be taken prisoner by Spanish soldiers. They manage to escape, but in the fourth hour they face even worse perils on their way to "Jamaica."

Monday, April 28

Third hour: "Island of the Damned" May 2, 4, 6, 8 Fourth hour: "Jamaica" May 9



THIS WEEK

▼ The start of weekly one-hour adventures "Disney's Return to Treasure Island" 8:00 p.m., EST Fridays.

★ Kurt Russell's the computerized brainy boy wonder in "The Computer Wore Tennis Shoes."

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5:30	6:30 Wish Upon a Star	5:30		Mousercise	5:30		Mousercise			
6:00	7:00 Mousercise	6:00		Good Morning, Mickey!	6:00		Good Morning, Mickey!			
6:30	7:30 You and Me. Kid	6:30		Welcome to Pooh Corner	6:30		Welcome to Pooh Corner			
7:00	8:00 Welcome to Pooh Corner	7:00		Donald Duck Presents	7:00		Donald Duck Presents			
7:30	8:30 Good Morning Mickey!	7:30		Dumbo's Circus	7:30		Dumbo's Circus			
8:00	9:00 Dumbo's Circus	8:00		You and Me, Kid	8:00		You and Me, Kid			
8:30	9:30 Donald Duck Presents	8:30		New! Animal World	8:30		New! Animal World			
9:00	10:00 The Wind in the Willows	9:00		MOVIE The Secret of the	9:00		MOVIE Wuthering Heights			
0.00	Ghost at Mole End p.37	0.00	10.00	Pond (1:29) p.35	0.00		(1:43) p.35			
9:30	10:30 MOVIE Darby O'Gill and	10:30	11:30		10:45	11:45	DTVS			
0.00	the Little People (1:30)	10.00	1		11:00		Water Birds			
	p.30						The Scheme of Things			
11:15	12:15 DTVS	11:00	12.00		12:00		MOVIE Stories from a			
11:30	12:30 Too Smart for Strangers	11.00	12.00	Room Jan Murray, Danny			Flying Trunk (1:30) p.34			
12:30	1:30 MOVIE The Wind in the			Thomas, Bob Newhart,	1:30	2:30	The Edison Twins Secret			
12.00	Willows (1:18) p.30			Franklyn Ajaye p.37			of Windigo Lake p.34 S			
2:00	3:00 Wonderful World of	12:00	1.00	MOVIE The Computer	2:00	3.00	Dumbo's Circus			
2.00	Disney The Footloose Fox	12.00	1.00	Wore Tennis Shoes (1:30)	2:30		Welcome to Pooh Corner			
2:30	3:30 MOVIE Oklahoma (2:22) S			p.36	3:00		Mickey Mouse Club			
5:00	6:00 MOVIE The Beniker Gang	1:45	2.45	DTVS	3:30		Donald Duck Presents			
0.00	(1:27) p.29	2:00		Dumbo's Circus	4:00		New! Animal World			
6:30	7:30 SPECIAL International	2:30		Welcome to Pooh Corner	4:30		Wonderful World of			
0.00	Circus Stars of	3:00		Mickey Mouse Club		0.00	Disney Minado The			
	Tomorrow (1:30) p.37	3:30		Donald Duck Presents			Wolverine			
8:00	9:00 MOVIE Herbie Goes to	4:00		New! Animal World	5:30	6.30	The Adventures of Ozzie			
0.00	Monte Carlo (1:44) p.31	4:30		Wonderful World of	0.00	0.00	and Harriet			
10:00	11:00 MOVIE The 39 Steps	7.00	0.00	Disney Carnival Time	6:00	7:00	MOVIE Boy From Dead			
10.00	(1:27) p.31	5:30	6-30	The Adventures of Ozzie	0.00		Man's Bayou (1:32) p.31			
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		6:00	7.00	MOVIE The Badlanders	8:00		MOVIE Mountain Family			
		0.00	1.00	(1:23)p.28			Robinson (1:39) p.35			
		7:30	8-30	Mouseterpiece Theater	9:40	10:40	DTVS			
		8:00		MOVIE Father of the	10:00	11:00	MOVIE A Night to			
		0.00	0.50	Bride (1:33) p.37			Remember (2:01) p.32			
		9:35	10-35	Disney Channel Preview—May			, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,			
		10:00		MOVIE Days of Heaven						
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INTERNATIONAL CIRCUS STARS OF TOMORROW

This 90-minute special, made exclusively for The Disney Channel, chronicles the 1986 Festival Mondial du Cirque de Demain, an international circus competition for performers under the age of 25. Ben Vereen is your host for this extraordinary program, which focuses on two American participants, eight-year-old Nickolaus Winn and 20-year-old Mark David.

The action begins in Sarasota, Florida, the famed headquarters of Ringling Bros. Barnum & Bailey Circus. It's there that Winn, a wire walker, and David, a trapeze artist, make their final preparations and hold their last practice sessions before boarding a jet for Paris, France. The Disney Channel follows the two young contenders through the six grueling days of the event, up to and including the finals competition that is held the last night, as well as the gala closing ceremonies where gold, silver, and bronze medals are presented to the winners. This competitive forum features the finest young talent under the Big Top, and is the ultimate celebration of



The Edison Twins:

Tom and Annie use scientific dating techniques to assist their former history teacher in his search for a legendary pirate treasure. But the title of the episode is "One Good Con"!

April 30; May 2, 3, 5

Danger Bay:

Spawning salmon in a local river are dying off, and illegal logging is the cause in "Timber!" But can "Doc" (Donnelly Rhodes) and a young environmentalist overcome the hostility of local loggers as they track down the guilty parties in a race against time?

April 30; May 2, 4, 5

The Wind in the Willows:

As spring approaches and Mole wakes from his slumbers, he hears a "Ghost at Mole End." He calls on his friends for help. Badger's not worried about the sounds, Toad's not afraid, but as for the usually brave Ratty—that's another story.

April 27, 30; May 3



FATHER
OF THE BRIDE

Spencer Tracy etches a superb comic portrait of a frustrated father who finds his dominance over his household has slipped when the family contracts wedding fever — and he's bound and determined to put an end to all the nonsense. Elizabeth Taylor plays Tracy's daughter, the bride-to-be, in The Disney Channel premiere of director Vincente Minnelli's comic masterpiece.

April 28; May 4, 6, 8, 10

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A poor woman (Susan Hayward) marries and inspires a politician (Dean Martin) in this premiere.

April 30; May 3,

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6:00	7:00 Good Morning, Mickey!		00 Good Morning, Mickey!	6:00		Good Morning, Mickey!	6:00		Mousercise
6:30	7:30 Welcome to Pooh Corner		30 Welcome to Pooh Corner	6:30		Welcome to Pooh Corner	6:30	7:30	You and Me, Kid
7:00	8:00 Donald Duck Presents		00 Donald Duck Presents	7:00		Donald Duck Presents	7:00		Dumbo's Circus
7:30	8:30 Dumbo's Circus		30 Dumbo's Circus	7:30		Dumbo's Circus	7:30		Good Morning, Mickey!
8:00	9:00 You and Me, Kid		00 You and Me, Kid	8:00		You and Me, Kid	8:00		Welcome to Pooh Corner
8:30	9:30 New! Animal World		30 New! Animal World	8:30		New! Animal World	8:30		Donald Duck Presents
9:00	10:00 SPECIAL International	9:00 10:	00 MOVIE The Beniker Gang	9:00	10:00	MOVIE Herbie Goes To	9:00	10:00	The Wind in the Willows
	Circus Stars of		(1:27) p.29			Monte Carlo (1:45) p.31			Ghost at Mole End p.37
	Tomorrow (1:30) p.37	10:30 11:	30 SPECIAL The Making of	11:00	12:00	Danger Bay Timber!	9:30	10:30	MOVIE Mountain Family
10:30	11:30 Disney Channel		Disney's Return to			p.37\$			Robinson (1:39) p.35
	Preview—May		Treasure Island (0:30)	11:30		The Scheme of Things	11:15		DTVS
11:00	12:00 Steve Allen's Music		p.28	12:00	1:00	MOVIE The 39 Steps	11:30	12:30	The Edison Twins One
	Room Sarah Vaughan		00 Nature's Half Acre			(1:27) p.31			Good Con p.37®
40.00	Henry Mancini p.37	12:00 1:	00 MOVIE Beau Brummel	1:30	2:30	The Edison Twins One	12:00	1:00	MOVIE Disney's Return to
12:00	1:00 MOVIE The Island at the		(1:51) p.29			Good Con p.37®			Treasure Island (1:44)
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3:00	4:00 Mickey Mouse Club		Disney The Hound That			Disney The Coyote's	3:00	4:00	SPECIAL Wild Horizons
3:30	4:30 Donald Duck Presents		Thought He Was A	- 00		Lament	4.00	E 00	(00:54) p.36
4:00	5:00 New! Animal World	5 20 C	Raccoon	5:30	6:30	The Adventures of Ozzie	4:00	3:00	MOVIE A Night to
4:30	5:30 Wonderful World of	5:30 6:	30 The Adventures of Ozzie	0.00	7.00	and Harriet	0.00	7.00	Remember (2:01) p.32
	Disney Where Do The	000 7	and Harriet	6:00	7:00	SPECIAL The Electric	6:00	/:00	MOVIE Charlie, the
E 20	Stories Come From	6:00 7:	00 MOVIE Disney's Return to	7.00	0.00	Grandmother (0:50) p.30			Lonesome Cougar (1:31)
5:30		7.45	Treasure Island	7:00	8:00	MINI-SERIES Disney's	7.25	0.25	p.39 SPECIAL Call It Courage
0.00	and Harriet		45 Mouseterpiece Theater			Return to Treasure	7:35 8:30		SPECIAL Gair it Courage SPECIAL International
6:00	7:00 SPECIAL Wild Horizons	8:00 9:	00 MOVIE The Bears and I			Island (3rd hour) Island	0:30	3:30	Circus Stars of
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A TRIBUTE TO MOM

Mickey, Pluto, Donald, Goofy and the rest of the gang toss a bouquet to mothers everywhere in this lively, exclusive animated feature.

Every mom's homemaking skills get a left-handed salute from Goofy in "Father's Day Off." Goofy thinks he can outshine his wife at housekeeping, but when he tries, the result is chaos.

Pluto learns about proper parenting by becoming a surrogate mother in "Pluto's Fledgling." Meanwhile, Donald's attempts to use child psychology in "Spare the Rod" spoil his day.

Mrs. Jumbo, the Wise Little Hen and other famous Disney moms appear in scenes depicting such maternal attributes as cheerfulness, warmth, wisdom, and patience. Put them all together, they spell M-O-T-H-E-R in all her guises and glories. May 10

Danger Bay:

Jonah's (Christopher Crabb) best friend, a local Indian boy, is to come of age at a traditional tribal potlatch. But the boy needs a special gift to present to his chief - leading the lads to consider burglarizing a local museum in "The Mask." May 7. 9

The Edison Twins:

"The Racer's Edge" is in the Edisons' knowledge of aerodynamics and their design of a spoiler for their friend Howie's go-kart for a challenge race, but an unforeseen problem could spell disaster on the track. May 7, 9, 10

The Wind in the Willows:

The Great Steamer" navigates downstream past Rat's house creating a wash so huge that it sweeps Billy, one of the field mice, into the river. Rat and Mole race against time in an attempt to rescue him. May 4, 8, 10

NANCY GOES TO RIO

Ann Sothern and Jane Powell - mother and daughter compete for an acting role, and for the same man. May 7

DISNEY'S LEGENDS & HEROES

It's back in the saddle again when Elfego Baca (Robert Loggia) and Texas John Slaughter (Tom Tryon) ride out of the Old West. Each of their hour-long adventures also crosses trails with an exciting half hour episode featuring that swashbuckling son of Old California, Zorro (Guy Williams).

April 1, 4, 6, 8, 11, 13, 15, 18,



THIS WEEK

▼ Two of the Nelson family's most popular episodes in "The **Best of Ozzie and** Harriet."

∀ Just in time for Mother's Day "A Tribute to Mom."

♥ Premiere of "Bedknobs and Broomsticks." The original uncut theatrical version!

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Sunday, May 4 CENTRA

CENTRAL	EASTERN/	PACIFIC
5:00	6:00	Donald Duck Presents
5:30	6:30	Contraption
6:00	7:00	Mousercise
6:30	7:30	You and Me, Kid
7:00	8:00	Dumbo's Circus
7:30	8:30	Good Morning, Mickey!
8:00	9:00	Welcome to Pooh Corner
8:30		Donald Duck Presents
9:00	10:00	The Wind in the Willows
		The Great Steamer p.38
9:30	10:30	MOVIE The Secret of the
		Pond (1:30) p.35
11:00	12:00	Disney's Legends &
		Heroes Texas John
		Slaughter: Ranger War at
		Tombstome; Zorro: Zorro
		Fights a Duel p.38
12:30	1:30	MINI-SERIES Disney's
		Return to Treasure
		Island (3rd hour) Island
		of the Damned p.38
1:30	2:30	
		Preview—May
2:00	3:00	MOVIE Water Babies
		p.36
4:00	5:00	MOVIE Island at the Top
		of the World (1:30) p.33
5:30	6:30	Danger Bay Timber!
		p.37\$
6:00	7:00	MOVIE The Great Caruso
		p.32
7:30	8:30	
		Broomsticks (2:00)
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10:00	11:00	MOVIE Father of the

Bride (1:33) p.37

Monday, May 5

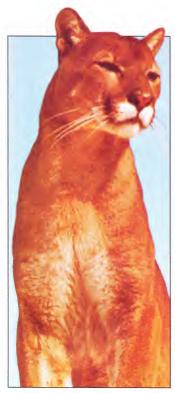
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6:00		Good Morning, Mickey!	6:
6:30		Welcome to Pooh Corner	6:
7:00		Donald Duck Presents	7:
7:30		Dumbo's Circus	7:
8:00		You and Me, Kid	8:
8:30		New! Animal World	8:
9:00	10:00	MOVIE Stories from a	9:
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2:30		Welcome to Pooh Corner	4:
3:00		Mickey Mouse Club	
3:30		Donald Duck Presents	5:
4:00		New! Animal World	3:
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5:30	6:30	The Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet	7:
6:00	7:00		8:
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7:45	0.45	Mouseterpiece Theater	
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	6:00	7:00	Good Morning, Mickey!
	6:30	7:30	Welcome to Pooh Corner
	7:00	8:00	Donald Duck Presents
	7:30		Dumbo's Circus
	8:00	9:00	You and Me, Kid
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			Bride (1:33) p.37
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			Broomsticks (2:00) p.34
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	2:30		Welcome to Pooh Corner
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	3:30		Donald Duck Presents
	4:00		New! Animal World
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	5:30	6:30	
		7.00	and Harriet
	6:00	7:00	MOVIE The Bears and I (1:29) p.30
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	8:00	9:00	Return to Treasure
			Island (3rd hour) Island
			of the Damned p.38
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10:45 DTVS

11:00

SPECIAL International

Tomorrow (1:30) p.37

Circus Stars of

12:30 The Scheme of Things

9:45

10:00

11:30

CHARLIE, THE LONESOME COUGAR

This exclusive Disney nature-adventure feature about a cougar who grew up thinking he was human because nobody ever told him he was a cat premieres on The Disney Channel the week of May 4.

"Charlie" tells of a cougar's problems with both nature and civilization. The animal, raised in captivity, joins loggers in a 110-mile river log drive, and even competes with lumbermen in the sport of log birling. When separated from man, Charlie must learn to cope with nature.

This outstanding presentation was shot throughout the rugged Pacific Northwest by naturalist-photographers who had worked on Disney's widely honored True-Life Adventures series.

May 3, 7, 9



WINNIE THE POOH AND A DAY FOR EEYORE

Pooh, Rabbit, Piglet and Roo are throwing "Pooh sticks" into the stream one afternoon, when they realize they've forgotten Eeyore's birthday. Their attempts to patch things up don't go exactly as planned, but Eeyore learns an important lesson, which makes the day special. This is an award-winning exclusive animated special children can't help but love.

April 6, 7, 16, 24, 26; May 7, 10

OZZIE AND HARRIET

THE BEST OF

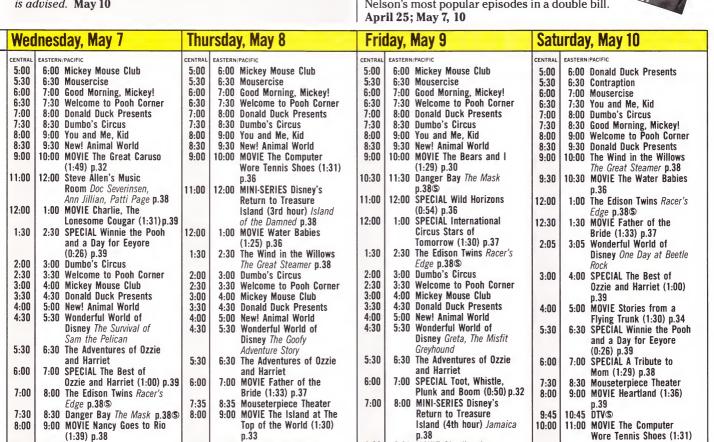
For 14 years the Nelson clan, Ozzie, Harriet, David and Rick, ruled the airwaves as America's best-loved family—and they've won a new generation of fans on The Disney Channel.

Premiering Tuesday, April

25th, The Disney Channel presents
"The Best of Ozzie and Harriet," two of the
Nelson's most popular episodes in a double bill.

HEARTLANDConchata Ferrell and Rip Torn experience the rigors of rural life in Wyoming in this Disney Channel Premiere.

"Heartland" has been selected for our mature viewers and will air only after 9:00 p.m. Eastern/Pacific time. Parental discretion is advised. May 10



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9:00 MOVIE Charlie, the

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Lonesome Cougar (1:30)

Broomsticks (2:00) p.34 S[CC]

MOVIE Bedknobs and

MOVIE Mountain Family

Robinson (1:39) p.35

10:30 Islands of the Sea

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10:00

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Paul Maglio cuddles cute Miss Kitty



Jessica Hermelo with Tara & Clotilde



Chrissy DeCarlo hugs lovable Sally



Ashley Law & Oreo of Marco Island



Jeremy Coates and his pet, Thumper



Melissa Weaver has a smile for Cocoa



Dawn March and Igor play peekaboo

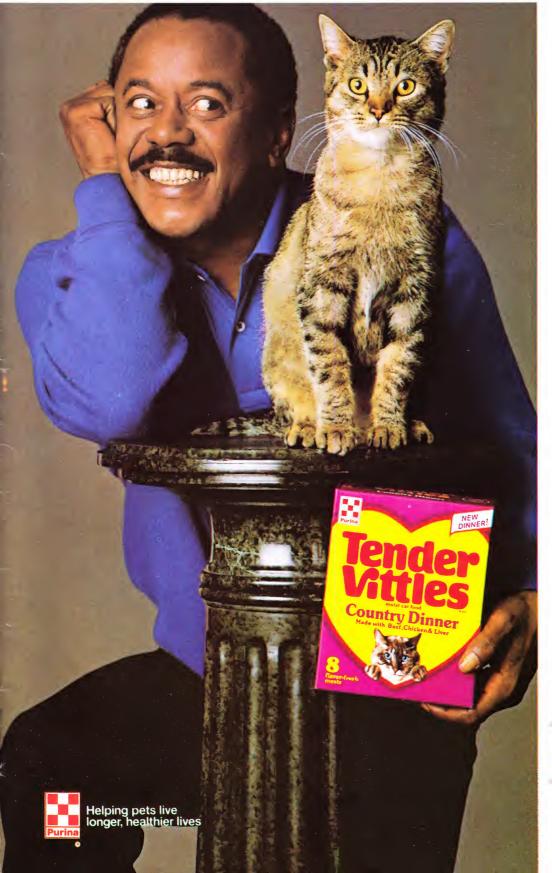


James, Fran & Sarah of Shreveport



Her hamster tickles Tara Walewski

Flip's Cat Obedience Course. (Or 8 new ways to obey your cat's every wish.)



You think it's hard to please a cat? Sure you do. Because that's what cats want you to think. But the truth is, cats are really easy to please. All you have to do is give them exactly what they want. which is new Tender Vittles. From the three brand new flavors, to the new improved favorites. Roscoe thinks they're the cat's pajamas.

He loves all the extra real meat, chicken and fish they've added to the Vittles he loves. And with all new Savory Supper, Poultry Dinner and Country Dinner, there's variety enough to satisfy a cat's every wish. (Even a cat like Roscoe, whose every wish is my command.)

8 new easy to please flavors.



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JUNGLE CAT



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FESTIVAL



A Disney Channel Premiere THE SHAGGY D.A.



A Disney Classic Returns SWISS FAMILY ROBINSON



We're On The Road To Laughter!
BOB HOPE THEATRE



An Animated Celebration For Father's Day GOOFY'S SALUTE TO FATHER



Comedy Stars Host A New Animated Cartoon Series THE MOUSE FACTORY



Kurt Russell Stars In NOW YOU SEE HIM, NOW YOU DON'T

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